

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

July 10, 2007

Pete Mullen, Treasurer Joe Donnelly for Congress P.O. Box 1961 South Bend, IN 46634

Response Due Date: August 9, 2007

Identification Number: C00393652

Reference:

April Quarterly Report (1/1/07 – 3/31/07)

Dear Mr. Mullen:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above. Additional information is needed for the following 3 items:

- 1. Your report contains incorrect Column B figures for Lines 6(a), 6(c), 11(c), 11(e) and 16 of the Summary and Detailed Summary Page information. When aggregating and reporting receipts and disbursements, candidate committees are required to disclose their activity on an electioncycle basis, from 11/8/06 to 11/4/08. Please amend your report to show election cycle-to-date figures for all aggregate amounts. (2 U.S.C. § 434(b))
- Commission Regulations require that a committee disclose the identification of all individuals who contribute in excess of \$200 in an election cycle. (11 CFR § 104.3(a)(4)(i)) Identification for an individual is defined as the full name (initials are not acceptable), complete mailing address, occupation and name of employer. (11 CFR § 100.12) Your report discloses contributions from individuals for which the identification is not complete.

You must provide the missing information, or if you are unable to do so, you must demonstrate that "best efforts" have been used to obtain the information. To establish "best efforts," you must provide the Commission with a detailed description of your procedures for requesting the information. Establishing "best efforts" is a three-fold process.